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For: SELF-EMULSIFYING FORMULATIONS OF FENOFIBRATE AND/OR
FENOFIBRATE DERIVATIVES WITH IMPROVED ORAL BIOAVAILABILITY
AND/OR REDUCED FOOD EFFECT

AMENDMENT AND REPLY UNDER 37 CFR 1.116

Commissioner for Patents
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Sir:

This is a response to the Final Office Action mailed May 6, 2005 in the captioned application. A response is due prior to November 6, 2005, by virtue of the attached request for extension of time and payment of the requisite government fees. Although applicants believe that the amount of the attached check is correct, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge all fees for filing this response to Deposit Account No. 08-1641.

Please amend the Application as set forth in the Amendments below.